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*VIA ECF*

The Honorable Valerie E. Caproni  
United States District Judge  
Thurgood Marshall United States Courthouse  
40 Foley Square  
New York, NY 10007

**MEMO ENDORSED**

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Re: *United States v. Issiaga Sylla*, 19 CR 808 (VEC)

Dear Judge Caproni:

With the consent of the government, I write to seek an adjournment to the schedule for pre-sentencing submissions. I do not seek to adjourn Mr. Sylla's sentencing. Mr. Sylla is scheduled to be sentenced on November 19, 2021 and the parties are scheduled to file their submissions tomorrow, November 5, 2021. I am unable to complete and file my submission by tomorrow. Unfortunately, my husband has breakthrough COVID and my youngest daughter just tested positive. My entire family and I are quarantined and I am the sole caregiver to my sick family members (and my other daughter who is quarantined from school). Under these circumstances, I need more time. I hope to file my submission by early next week. Thank you.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ JULIA GATTO

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cc: A.U.S.A. Kedar Bhatia (via ECF)

Application GRANTED. Sentencing submissions are due by **November 11, 2021**. The Court wishes counsel's family a speedy recovery.

Further, due to a scheduling conflict for the Court, Mr. Sylla's sentencing, scheduled for November 19, 2021 at 11:00 a.m., is adjourned to **November 19, 2021 at 4:00 p.m.**

SO ORDERED.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Valerie Caproni".

11/5/2021

HON. VALERIE CAPRONI  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE